

110TH CONGRESS  
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# S. 1765

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 11, 2007

Mr. BROWN introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. TRANSPORTATION OF REMAINS OF DECEASED**  
4 **MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES AND CER-**  
5 **TAIN OTHER PERSONS.**

6 Section 1482(a)(8) of title 10, United States Code,  
7 is amended by adding at the end the following new sen-  
8 tence: “When transportation of the remains includes  
9 transportation by aircraft, the Secretary concerned shall

1 provide, to the maximum extent possible, for delivery of  
2 the remains by air to the commercial, general aviation, or  
3 military airport nearest to the place selected by the des-  
4 ignee or, if such a selection is not made, nearest to the  
5 cemetery selected by the Secretary.”.

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